COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE Witness Disclosure Requirement – "Truth in Testimony" Required by House Rule XI, Clause 2(g)

1. Name: Robin P. Stanaway 3. Phone Number: (804) 693-3890	2. Address:	Gloucester County SI 7502 Justice Drive Gloucester, VA 2306		Office
4. Please identify the group(s) or organization(on behalf of any group or organization, please i County of Gloucester, Virginia	s) on whose be ndicate "none'	half you are testifying. I	f you are n	ot testifying
5. Are you testifying on behalf of a governmen department or agency, or a state or local department (If "you" skip to item?	nent agenev. i	n, meaning a federal urisdiction?	Yes X	No
6a. Have you, or any of the organizations or greezived any federal grants or contracts including relevant to the subject of the hearing during the (2) preceding fiscal years?	o cuboranto A		Yes	No
6b. If you checked "yes" for item 6a above, pleasubgrant, or subcontract, received within that pe Source	se list the sour	rce and amount for each gittach additional sheets if Amount	rant, conti necessary.	ract,
7. Please sign and date indicating that to the best both true and accurate. Signature Robin P. Stanaway, Shariff	Date:	ledge the information pro	no bebivo	this form is



Gloucester County Sheriff's Office

Robin P. Stanaway
Sheriff
"An Accredited Agency"



To:

Sheriff R. P. Stanaway

From:

Captain T. Koehl

Ref.

Committee of Transportation and Infrastructure.

Date:

October 2, 2003

Sir:

If item 6a and 6b is applicable, our agency has received the following grants through the Virginia Department of Emergency Management:

Year	Amount Received	
1999	3,777.72	
2000	7,199.04	
2001	7,297.30	
2002	22,974.22	
2003 Level III Planning	11,483.00	

Year	Amount Pending	
2003-I	41,947.00	
2003-11	121,954.00	

I am unaware of any other funding received or applied for by our agency that deals with emergency management activities.

- I. POST STORM CONFERENCE CALLS WERE A SOURCE OF FRUSTRATION.
 - A. REQUEST FOR EMERGENCY NEEDS WERE MET WITH EMPTY PROMISES AND BUCK PASSING.
 - B. VERY LITTLE ACCURATE INFORMATION ON

 EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE WAS COMING FROM
 FEMA.
 - C. SEEMED AS THOUGH THEIR PRIMARY CONCERN
 WAS THE NUMBER OF CITIZENS IN SHELTERS.
- II. EARLY ON SITE ASSISTANCE FROM FEMA STAFF WAS UNPRODUCTIVE AND WASTEFUL.
 - A. FEMA STAFF REQUESTED MEETING WITH SENIOR
 STAFF BUT WERE UNABLE TO ANSWER
 QUESTIONS OR PROVIDE USEFUL INFORMATION.
 - B. SCHEDULED MEETINGS WITH WRONG DEPART-MENT HEADS FAILED TO MAKE MEETING.
- III. POOR DISTRIBUTION OF EMERGENCY SUPPLIES
 - A. STAGING OF SUPPLIES

- B. DISTRIBUTION
- C. EQUIPMENT (FORK LIFTS, REFRIGERATED TRAILERS)

IV. POSITIVES FROM FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

- A. VISIT FROM STATE D. E. S. DIRECTOR,

 MICHAEL CLINE AND A FEMA REPRESENTATIVE

 ON THURSDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2003.
- B. FEMA DISASTER RECOVERY CENTER
- C. CLAIMS ASSISTANCE AND TEMPORARY HOUSING
- D. REDCROSS ASSISTANCE
 - 1. ASSISTANCE WITH SHELTERS
 - 2. COORDINATION OF FOOD PREPARATION
 AND DELIVERY
 - 3. SHOWER AND HYGIENE NEEDS.
- E. ASSISTANCE FROM CONGRESSWOMAN DAVIS

V. RECOMMENDATIONS

- A. PRE-STORM CONFERENCE CALL ADDRESSING
 - 1. STAGING OF SUPPLIES

FROM:

- 2. DISTRIBUTION PLANS
- B. POST STORM
 - 1. IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE STORM
 ASSIGN A PERMANENT FEMA COORDINATOR TO EACH IMPACTED LOCALITY FOR
 THE DURATION OF THE RECOVERY.
 - A. CO-ORDINATE AID REQUEST
 - B. ANSWER QUESTIONS
 - C. ESTABLISH RECOVERY CENTERS